



PATENT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

(Case No. 01-496-A)

In the Application of:

Damian J. Gallina

Serial No.: 10/050,655

Filed: January 16, 2002

For: Compositions and Methods for Treating  
Retroviral Infections

Examiner: Randall O. Winston

Group Art Unit: 1654

Confirmation No.: 7537

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In regard to the above identified application,

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:
  - a) Response to the Office Action Mailed April 6, 2005; and
  - b) Declaration of Damian J. Gallina, BA, BS, RPh, under Rule 132
  - c) Return Receipt Postcard.
2. With respect to fees:
  - a) No fee is due.
  - b) Please charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment our Deposit Account, No. 13-2490.
3. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the paper, as described in paragraph 1 hereinabove, are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on July 6, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: July 6, 2005

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